

ACTION

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

AIRGRAM

FOR RM USE ONLY

RM/R REP AF

ARA EUR FE

NEA CU INR

P IO

AID

AGR COM FRB

INT LAB TAR

TR XMB AIR

ARMY CIA NAVY

OSD USIA NSA

A-100
NO.

SECRET

AIR POUCH

HANDLING INDICATOR

TO : Department of State 1964 OCT 8 PM 6 40

INFO : DHAHRAN CHUSMTM COMIDEASTFOR
USMTM AIR FORCE SECTION ANALYSIS USMTM ARMY SECTION

DEPARTMENT PASS: See list on page four

COPY NO. 1 SERIES A

FROM : Amembassy JIDDA

DATE: October 6, 1964

SUBJECT: Joint Weeka No. 39 (for the Week ending October 4)

REF :

Table of Contents

POLITICAL

2. SAG Participates in Non-Aligned Conference

MILITARY

Negative

PSYCHOLOGICAL

1. Jordan River-Israel

4. U.S. Elections

Page

2

3

3

3

Downgraded at 3-year intervals.
Declassified after 12 years.

Copy No(s) 11

This document consists of 4 pages.

Number 1 of 10 copies, Series A. Destroyed in RM/R

Name M. L. Smith Date 1-26-65

SECRET

FOR DEPT. USE ONLY

In Out

Drafted by:

RW Murphy:lf 10-6-64

Contents and Classification Approved by
NGHacher, Charge d'Affaires a.i.

Clearances:

SECRET

DEPT OF STATE

Index

Action Assigned to
Action Taken
1/13/65
RNA/NE
12600Action On
Name of Office
GROUP
Action to RM/RREVIEWED BY [Signature] DATE 11/19/82
RDS/OF XEROX COPY DATE 11/19/82
TS AUTH. [Signature] DATE 11/19/82
ENDORSE EXISTING MARKINGS [Signature]
DECLASSIFIED [Signature]
RELEASE DETERMINED [Signature]
PA or POL INSTRUCTIONS [Signature]

FORM 4-62 DS-323

SECRET

Page Two of
A-100, Jidda

POLITICAL

DECLASSIFIED

2. SAG Participates in Non-Aligned Conference. The Charge discussed with Deputy Foreign Minister Saqqaf, prior to his departure September 24, the U.S. positions on several problems likely to be raised at the Non-Aligned Conference in Cairo. He emphasized the essential U.S. concern was that the Conference not come up with resolutions tending to restrict freedom of action in the UN, or other forums, of countries supporting Free World objectives or which might adversely affect maintenance of Free World security.

DECLASSIFIED

SECRET

DECLASSIFIED

MILITARY

Negative

PSYCHOLOGICAL

1. Jordan River-Israel. Quoting Arab League pronouncements, the Saudi press has headlined news that contractors were standing by to start diversion of the Jordan River tributaries in a few days and that Arab military preparations had been taken to meet all contingencies. Shukairi's statement that the Executive Committee of the Palestine Liberation Organization would "assume its responsibilities October 4" was carried by al-Bilad. On October 4 al-Madina published a cartoon more sympathetic to the U.S. position than has been its custom. It pictures President Johnson exclaiming as he receives a protest from Israel, "In other words, every time the Arabs meet you come to me crying and raising a big fuss." Israel answers, "If I do not come to you, who else can I go to?" (UNCLASSIFIED)

DECLASSIFIED

4. U.S. Elections. Relatively less attention was paid the U.S. presidential campaign this week. In an attempt to analyze the international implications of the election one commentator wrote in al-Nadwa September 27 that

SECRET

Page Four of
A-100, Jidda

should Senator Goldwater be successful it would cause a strong Soviet reaction. The writer predicted that Khrushchev would either change his policy of peaceful coexistence or risk further, and possibly damaging, accusations from Peking he had totally abandoned Marxist-Leninist doctrines. (UNCLASSIFIED)

For the Charge d'Affaires, a.i.:

Richard W. Murphy

Richard W. Murphy
Second Secretary of Embassy

DEPT PASS: ADEN, AMMAN, ANKARA, BAGHDAD, BEIRUT, BEIRUT FOR MELG,
ai ~~FOR~~ FOR CINCUSAFE, CAIRO, DAMASCUS, FRANKFURT FOR LINDSEY
AIR STATION, ATTN: DSC INTELLIGENCE IDCA, HEADQUARTERS,
Army for USAREUR HEIDELBERG, KARACHI, KHARTOUM, KUWAIT, LONDON FOR
CINCNELM, RABAT, TAIZ, TEHRAN, POLAD CINCSTRIKE/CINCMEAFSA-

max due aft. file 1

SECRET

DECLASSIFIED